

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A CPU in an MFP apparatus opens a PDL file that is stored in an auxiliary memory device, stores page description PDL in the auxiliary memory device, stores
5 a print setting state in the auxiliary memory device, outputs raster data by a rendering process, stores the raster data in the auxiliary memory device when a predetermined time period expires, and generates, when the predetermined time period does not expire, a page-
10 unit PDL and stores it in the auxiliary memory device, generates a print job control script file and stores it in the auxiliary memory device, and closes the PDL file.